

### AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

Please replace paragraph [0001] with the following replacement paragraph [0001]. Paragraph [0001] is located on page 1 immediately following the heading "REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATIONS." Changes from the original are identified as follows: (a) added subject matter is shown by underlining the added text, and (b) deleted subject matter is shown by ~~strike-through~~ of the deleted text.

**[0001]** This application is ~~a Continuation-In-Part of~~ related to, but does not claim the benefit of priority from, the following applications: U.S. patent application Ser. No. 10/672,375, filed Sep. 25, 2003, ~~which claims the benefit of the filing date of~~ U.S. provisional patent application Serial No. 60/500,627, filed Sep. 5, 2003; ~~and is a Continuation-In-Part of~~ U.S. patent application Ser. No. 10/612,170, filed Jul. 1, 2003, and Ser. No. 10/639,162, filed Aug. 11, 2003; ~~both of which claim the benefit of the filing date of~~ U.S. provisional patent application Serial No. 60/433,065, filed Dec. 11, 2002; ~~Furthermore, this application is a Continuation-In-Part of~~ U.S. patent application Ser. No. 10/173,203, filed Jun. 13, 2002; ~~as well as~~ U.S. patent application Ser. No. 10/458,060, filed Jun. 9, 2003, ~~which is a Continuation-In-Part of~~ U.S. patent application Ser. No. 10/346,709, filed Jan. 15, 2003, ~~and which claims the benefit of the filing date of~~ U.S. provisional patent application Serial No. 60/471,893, filed May 19, 2003; ~~Furtherstill, this application is a Continuation-In-Part of~~ U.S. patent application Ser. No. 10/288,619, filed Nov. 4, 2002; ~~which is a Continuation-In-Part of~~ U.S. patent application Ser. No. 09/746,579, filed Dec. 20, 2000, ~~and a Continuation-In-Part of co-pending, commonly assigned~~ U.S. patent application Ser. No. 10/188,509, filed Jul. 3, 2002; ~~which is a Continuation-In-Part of~~ U.S. patent application Ser. No. 09/898,726, filed Jul. 3, 2001; ~~which is a Continuation-In-Part of~~ U.S. patent application Ser. No. 09/602,436, filed Jun. 23, 2000, ~~which claims the benefit of the filing date of and~~ U.S. provisional patent application Serial No. 60/141,077, filed Jun. 25, 1999. All of these applications are incorporated herein by reference in their entireties.